

JOHNSON

Farmers! Read Jose's adv't on page 1.
Miss Alice Fay spent Monday in Burlington.

Mrs. Emma Hodgkins spent Monday in Hardwick.

Mrs. Bennett Tillotson has returned from Hardwick.

Earl Holmes was home from the U. V. M. over Sunday.

Miss Freda Davis was home from Hyde Park over Sunday.

Merritt Davis of Belvidere was a guest of Will Davis Monday.

Supt. Young of Cambridge visited schools in town Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. John Bean of Jeffersonville were in town Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Cook of Jericho is visiting her niece, Mrs. M. E. Brewster.

Miss Emma Elliott went to St. Johnsbury Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. M. E. Brewster and Miss Florence Brewster were in Morrisville Friday.

C. L. Demeritt and family of Burlington spent Sunday at H. B. Caswell's.

Harold Bradley of the U. V. M. was a guest of Miss Ethel Jackson over Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Williams of Barre came Monday night to visit Mrs. Emma Hodgkins.

Vernon Ober and family and Miss Helen Fullington were in Cambridge Monday.

Miss Clossie Clark and Henry Cole of Morrisville were recent visitors at M. E. Brewster's.

Mrs. Ella Brewster returned Monday night from Randolph, where she passed several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McQuinn and Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey McQuinn spent Sunday at Wolcott.

Father Kennedy of Hardwick held mass at the K. of P. hall Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Prof. Max Andrews of the U. V. M. will lecture before the Oread Literary Club Thursday evening.

The seventh and eighth grades of the village school gave a Halloween party at Normal hall last evening.

Remember the lecture on "Light in Darkness" by Rev. M. W. Farman at the Grange hall Thursday evening at 8:30.

The Oread Club open their annual sale Nov. 6, afternoon and evening. There will be a food sale at the Baptist vestry.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dodge of Wolcott visited her sister, Mrs. R. H. Royce, Saturday. Mrs. Royce returned home with her.

Maurice Hitchcock has moved to the Stearns & Farrington tenement, vacated by Harold Wilkinson, who will move to Waterbury.

D. A. Barrows was a business visitor in Burlington Monday, going Monday night to Montreal, where Mrs. Barrows is in the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Edward Manning and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stafford and children of Rutland, who have been guests at H. W. Peck's, returned home Monday.

Stanley Moore of Newton Center, Mass., who is sales manager for the American Mineral Co., has rented Mrs. L. L. Bailey's new house. The house will be ready for occupancy the first of January.

There will be installation at the meeting of Waterman Lodge, No. 83, F. & A. M., Friday evening, after which there will be a banquet at the vestry of the Methodist church, served by the Ladies' Aid Society.

Rev. Wm. Craig of Georgeville, Que., has been spending several days at O. E. Foster's, the guest of Miss Roxa George of the Normal. Mr. Craig preached at the Methodist church Sunday evening, delivering a fine sermon.

On Wednesday next, Nov. 8, H. V. Stearns will sell at auction, at the Rosemary Farm in Johnson, a lot of personal property, consisting of cows, horses, hay, grain, farming tools, household goods, etc. See bills for particulars.

Mrs. George E. Fisher and daughter, Marion, of Lyndonville were at L. P. Gooley's Oct. 24, it being the seventeenth birthday of Mrs. Fisher's mother, Mrs. McLaren. Mrs. McLaren received many gifts, including an emerald ring, money, confectionery, fruit, etc., from relatives and friends.

Mrs. Luman Stratton died Wednesday afternoon from cancer. She had been a great sufferer for many weeks. The family had lived in Johnson, moving to the Hawley farm in Cambridge less than one year ago. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of Johnson friends. She is survived by her husband and son, Joel Stratton and sister, Mrs. Bixby.

The seventh and eighth grades of East Johnson school entertained their schoolmates and several visitors Friday afternoon with the following exercises:—Song, Grades 7 and 8; School Paper, George Sanders; Reading, Mary's History Lesson, Flossie Stearns; Reading, A Spelling Match, Bernice Macomber; Reading, Franklin Hooper; Question Box Current Events, conducted by Bernice Macomber; Concert Recitation, Landing of the Pilgrims, Grade 8; Song, Marching Through Georgia, Grades 7 and 8; School Paper, Florence Stearns; Reading, How Children Are Taught, Rupert Scribner; Recitation, The Captain's Daughter, Ruth Sweet; Reading, Choosing A Chief, Kenneth Hooper; Question Box—Current Events, conducted by Franklin Hooper; Concert Recitation, The Village Blacksmith, Grade 8; Reading, Paul Revere's Ride, Scotty Stearns. Franklin Hooper of grade 8 and Bernice Macomber of grade 7 were in charge of the program, which was extremely well rendered.

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Mr. and Mrs. Martin Powell of Jericho spent Saturday at H. M. Maxfield's.

Thursday evening, Nov. 2, at 8 p. m. at the Library building Prof. Andrews of Burlington will address the members of the Oread Club; subject, "A Study of the Short Story."

The ladies of the Oread Club will hold their annual sale at the Baptist vestry November 6, 7 and 8. Articles for the rummage sale, food and fancy articles are solicited. Food sale Wednesday afternoon and evening. Each member is expected to furnish an apron. There will be a good vacuum included in this sale.

Johnson High School

The season tickets for the entertainment course are three-fifths sold. If you have not yet made sure of your chance to see "The Village Doctor" do so now. The electric sign got short circuited last week and nearly burned up.

Methodist Church

Sunday services—Class meeting at 10 a. m., Miss Jones, leader; sermon by pastor at 10:45 a. m., theme, "The Law of Life"; Sunday school at 12 m.; Epworth League at 4:15 p. m., topic, "On a Quiet Hunt for Souls"; evening service at 7 o'clock, fifteen minute song service, subject of the evening message—"Clocks vs. Christians."

Congregational Church

The ladies' missionary meeting will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mudgett.

The monthly business meeting of the C. E. Society will be held at the home of L. J. Hutchins.

The bi-monthly communion service will be held next Sunday morning. In the evening the subject of the C. E. meeting will be "The Consecration of Social Life."

Johnson Grange

The next meeting of Johnson Grange comes Thursday evening, Nov. 2. Remember the date. At that time Rev. M. W. Farman delivers his lecture entitled "Light in Darkness". Lecture begins at 8:30 sharp at K. of P. hall. Admission free, but bring your change as a collection will be taken. Everybody invited.

Seamus McManus Coming

Johnson is soon to have a rare treat. Seamus McManus, the Irish story-teller, is coming to relate those wonderful tales that have thrilled the heart of the American listener from the Atlantic to the Pacific. This Irish magician will make you forget everything else in the world for one evening and you will live only in the realm of his creating. You cannot afford to miss this greatest of modern story tellers. Keep Nov. 17 free for this treat.

Belvidere

There will be services at the church next Sunday by Rev. Mr. Smith of Waterbury.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown of Waterbury visited J. R. Shattuck and W. O. Shattuck last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woodward of Enosburgh were guests of their parents last week.

Rena Wescom and Blanche Coburn were recent guests of Mrs. O. W. Shattuck.

Mrs. Ainsie Shattuck has returned to her home, after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Merrill Davis.

Lauren Mitchell and friend from Richford, who have been camping near the Pond, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shattuck and son and daughter of Bristol were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Davis.

Frozen Steam.

If hydrogen gas be burned in liquid air it will produce steam in the form of snow.

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STOWE

Miss Maude Slayton went Saturday to Plattsburg N. Y.

Mrs. Label M. Handy of Boston is visiting Mrs. Louise Bigelow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Haines returned to Worcester, Mass., Thursday.

W. L. Cheney left Wednesday night for his home in Milton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Saboron are parents of a daughter, born Saturday.

Miss Annabel Buzzell of Montpelier Seminary was at home over Sunday.

A daughter, Ruth Evelyn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Hill Oct. 31.

Mrs. Abbie Warren and granddaughter, Helen Lusk, of Randolph are visiting friends in Stowe.

Amos Boardman and son of Wolcott passed Sunday with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Hannah Knight.

Miss Hattie Pratt, chief clerk at the postoffice, has been confined to her home by an abscess over one eye.

The selectmen have appointed C. A. Riley and F. E. Smith to fill the vacancies on the board of cemetery commissioners.

M. B. Eaton of Morrisville will install a "Sunshine" acetylene gas plant this week at J. F. Campbell's farm buildings.

Mrs. Lola Billings Douglass gave a Halloween party to her pupils of the seventh grade at the school building Friday evening.

There will be no more Sunday cars this season on the Mt. Mansfield electric railroad. The Sunday mails will also be discontinued.

Henry Holt and daughter, Miss Sylvia, who were the guests of Mrs. C. F. M. Tabor at Four Winds farm over Sunday, returned to Burlington Monday.

Miss Esther Hart of St. Regis Falls, N. Y., and Roy M. Smith of Stowe were married by the Rev. E. G. Goddard at the Methodist parsonage Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are employed at G. A. Dewey's.

Mrs. Lucie French, who has employment at The Pavilion in Montpelier, had an operation at the Heaton hospital last Thursday for blood poisoning on her right hand and is with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Ayers, while recovering.

E. E. Bamforth, formerly landlord of Green Mountain Inn, and Mrs. Bamforth, who have made home their with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eddy since leaving the Inn, went Friday to South Royalton, where they will remain for the present with Mrs. Bamforth's mother, Mrs. Jas. Shepard.

Mrs. M. H. Buckham of Burlington gave an interesting address upon foreign missions at the Cong'l church Sunday morning and also spoke at the Christian Endeavor meeting in the evening, where Miss Beryl Powell of Jeffersonville gave a report of the Christian Endeavor conference at Silver Bay.

The lecturer's program at the meeting of Mansfield Mountain Grange Saturday evening included reports from the National Dairyman's Show at Springfield, Mass., by H. G. Fuller and E. M. Houston, a report of the State industrial exhibit at Burlington by H. H. Cooley, a reading by Mrs. Bernice Moulton, a recitation by Vivian Campbell and songs by the choir.

Chinese Ways.

In China old men play at ball and fly kites, while children fold their arms and look on.

WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN PUT RIGHTOUSNESS BEFORE PEACE.

The supporters of Mr. Wilson say that the American people should vote for him because he has kept us out of war. It is worth while to remember that this is a claim that cannot be advanced either on behalf of Washington or of Lincoln. Neither Washington nor Lincoln kept us out of war. Americans, and the people of the world at large, now reverence the memories of these two men because, and only because, they put righteousness before peace. They abhorred war. They shunned unjust or wanton or reckless war. But they possessed that stern valor of patriotism which bade them put duty first, not safety first, which bade them accept war rather than an unrighteous and disastrous peace. There were peace-at-any-price men in the days of Washington. They were peace-at-any-price men in the days of Lincoln. They were the Copperheads. The men who now with timid hearts and quavering voices praise Mr. Wilson for having kept us out of war are the spiritual heirs of the Tories of 1776 and the Copperheads of 1864. The men who followed Washington at Trenton and Yorktown and who suffered with him through the winter at Valley Forge and the men who wore the Blue under Grant and the Gray under Lee were men of valor, who sacrificed everything to serve the right as they saw it. They spurned with contemptuous indignation the counsels of the feeble and cowardly folk who in their day spoke for peace-at-any-price. From the Speech of Colonel Roosevelt at Battle Creek, Michigan, in Behalf of Mr. Hughes.

THINKS SPIRIT OF '76 AS SUPINE AS IN '16

Wilson's "Chocolate Soldier" Secretary of War Excites Nation's Disgust by Declaring Washington's Army Was as Bad a Lot as Villa's Bandit Band.

SPOILIATION OF NUNS AND CHURCHES THUS CONDONED

"In Their Ragged Regimentals Stood the Old Continentals, Yielding Not," and This Is the Reason Baker Sneers at Real Patriots Because He Basks in an Environment That Glories in Yielding Every American Right—Also Takes a Fling at Civil War Heroes, Saying They Committed the Same Crimes of Which Mexican Outlaws Are Now Guilty.

The defense which Secretary of War Newton D. Baker offered for Mr. Wilson's Mexican policies found quick response from patriotic Americans—but hardly the response Mr. Baker could have wished for.

In a speech in Jersey City, the Secretary likened the Mexican revolutionists to the Continentals who fought with Washington. He admitted the Mexicans were a racially lot, but said their actions were those of all rebels. The patriots of the American revolution looted churches and drove ministers from them on their famous march to Valley Forge, he added.

Protests From Far and Near.

Protests have come from far and near. The Empire State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution met and adopted a resolution condemning "in the strongest terms the unpatriotic language of the Secretary of War."

Members of the society were outspoken in their denunciation. Some declared that unless his remarks were repudiated at once by President Wilson a movement should be started to force the Secretary's resignation.

Friend of Baker's Joins.

The Empire State Society meeting was in the Waldorf-Astoria. In the chair was Louis Annin Ames, president of the society, a Democrat, a staunch supporter of the Administration and a close friend of Secretary Baker. He was asked if he had any personal comment to make on the action of the head of the War Department.

"It is all told in the resolution," said Mr. Ames. "The resolution was passed unanimously, so it embodies my views."

The resolution follows: "Whereas, it is reported in The New York Tribune this morning that Secretary of War Baker, at a public meeting held in Jersey City last night, used the following language reflecting upon the character of the members of Washington's army at Valley Forge, and likened them to the present Mexican revolutionists:

"I know that the Mexicans do not respect American life and property," said Mr. Baker. "I know that they do not pay their debts, that they are rascals, that they desert their country property, that their money is no good and that they are generally worthless. But people never respect those things in revolutions. We did not respect them in our Civil War. Washington's soldiers in the march to Valley Forge stole everything they could lay their hands on; took the silver vessels out of the churches and sold them to buy drink. They drove ministers out of the churches. Their money was worthless and they were just as bad characters as the Mexicans."

"Resolved, That we, the descendants of the patriots of the Revolution, condemn in strongest terms the unpatriotic language of the Secretary of War, and direct that a copy of this preamble and resolution be sent to him."

Similar action will be taken by patriotic societies all over the country.

British Lawmakers.

The British house of parliament consists of 670 members (465 for England, 30 for Wales, 72 for Scotland and 103 for Ireland), elected for seven years by secret ballot. No one under twenty-one years of age is eligible. All clergymen of the Church of England, ministers of the Church of Scotland and Roman Catholic clergymen are disqualified from sitting as members; all government contractors and all sheriffs and returning officers for the localities for which they act are disqualified both from voting and from sitting as members. Every voter must be twenty-one years of age, be the proprietor of a house or a piece of land, or pay an annual rent of \$50.

Belvidere Centre

Azro Brown found a fox in his trap the other day.

Mrs. Almira Tillotson has returned to her home in Essex.

A prayer meeting was held in the school house Sunday.

Superintendent Young visited school here one day last week.

Mrs. E. I. Campbell visited in Montgomerie one day last week.

Frank Tanner of Berkshire visited his brother, Daniel Tanner, Sunday.

Rheumatism After His Day's Outing

Hunting Trip On a Wet Day Brings Painful Results

Once upon a time Charles Mullen, of Philadelphia, went gunning. It was a dismal rainy day, and long exposure to cold and wet brought on a severe attack of rheumatism. He was confined to his home.

A friend recommended Sloan's Liniment, citing his own case as evidence of its effectiveness. Mullen bought a bottle and applied it to his aching limbs. Soon improvement was noticed and he was able to return to business.

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WOLCOTT

Alvah Clark and family were visitors in Barre last Friday.

G. F. Bickford passed Sunday with relatives in Swanton.

Albert Provost of Burlington is working for Solon Dwinell.

G. H. Davis and wife are taking in the excursion to New York.

A daughter was born to George Houghton and wife last Tuesday.

John Kelley and wife were visitors in East Hardwick the past week.

Mr. Randall of Newbury has been a recent guest of his brother, H. I. Randall.

James Linton of Newport, N. H., was a business visitor in town the last of the week.

Miss Nora Twiss is taking a two weeks' vacation from his duties at the post office.

Miss E. M. Taylor is assisting at the post office during the absence of Miss Twiss.

Ethan Porter is home from Sheldon, where he has been employed for several weeks.

Norman Porter and wife have rented the W. E. Foss farm and take possession at once.

Wesley Murdock and wife of Middlebury were guests at Dr. Cooper's the first of the week.

Mrs. Kahn, who has been nursing Mrs. Ed Houghton, returned to her home in Hardwick Friday.

Will Twiss of Bristol, Conn., was in town the first of the week, called here by the illness of his brother.

Mrs. B. D. Bickford and Miss Gertrude Batchelder of Morrisville were visitors at James L. Peck's Saturday.

Albert Davis and wife and Walter Sabin and wife passed Sunday at the home of Henry Ross in Morrisville.

The next number of the entertainment course will be presented on Dec. 1, when John Kilham, one of the greatest authorities on the American Indian, will deliver his famous lecture, which is illustrated with striking impersonations of famous American chiefs. He carries a wonderful collection of curios and Indian works of art.

Methodist Church

Sunday, Nov. 5, special service for children; subject, "The Story of the Man with the Muckrake." Sunday school at 11:45. Evening service at 7:30. Prayer meeting and Young Peoples service.

Thursday of this week at 6:30 p. m., Junior League meeting at the parsonage. 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting at parsonage.

Friday at 8 p. m., Young Peoples meeting at parsonage.

Saturday from 1:30 to 6 p. m., Junior League social gathering at parsonage.

Nov. 12, World's Temperance Sunday. Special exercises.

The public is asked to remember that the subscription list for the Armenian relief fund is being kept open over next Sunday. Subscriptions will be received and acknowledged by Rev. F. R. Keeler.

Early Buying!

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NEARLY everyone is aware that prices are advancing daily. Merchandise is hard to get when you want it.

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Also, a New line of Fall Caps.

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STOWE, VERMONT.

Elmore

Kenneth Kaiser is working in Walden for Elba Kimball.

Earl Murphy of Hardwick visited at A. G. Miller's over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gravin visited at Fred Gravin's in Cambridge Sunday.

Several Masons in town attended the district meeting in Hardwick the past week.

Mrs. Rufus Wiltshire of Morrisville was a recent guest of Mrs. Lula McNally.

Henry Dodge has moved from the Merriam tenement into Delbert Shanley's house.

Miss Bernice Bailey has gone to Wolcott to stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Elba Kimball and Miss Muriel Switzer of Walden spent several days in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams, who have been living for several months with Delbert Richardson, have moved to Morrisville.

Mrs. Helen M. Merriam was given a party Sunday, in honor of her 79th birthday, when there were present her children, Charles W. Merriam and family of Elmore, B. E. Merriam of Bellows Falls, V. W. Merriam and family of Hardwick, Mrs. Clara Jones and family of Morrisville, Mrs. Abby Kimberly and family of Hardwick, and Frank Merriam and family of Elmore, there being 27 present in all.

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To the heirs and all persons interested in the Estate of Almon E. Douglass, late of Stowe, in said district, deceased.

Greeting: WHEREAS, application hath been made to this Court in writing by the Administrator, praying for license and authority to sell all of real estate of said deceased, to wit: Dwelling house and about 1-2 acre of land connected therewith, situated in the town of Stowe, representing to said Court that it would be beneficial to the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of said deceased to sell said real estate and convert the same into money.

And bringing into Court the consent and approbation in writing of all the heirs to said estate residing in this State, and setting forth the situation of the real